



Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges

Quarterly Summary Report

Based on Number of Reported Cases

October - December 2008

Juvenile Court: **Blount**

Court Number: **5**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **1,240**

Children: **628**

General characteristics of these cases follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges:

Each case may include up to 5 referral reasons therefore the number of total referral reasons, referral sources, intake actions, formal/informal actions and person executing the action may be greater than the total number of cases.

0	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
0	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
4	0.21%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
1	0.05%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	0.00%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
2	0.10%	Other Sexual Offenses
22	1.14%	Aggravated Assault
0	0.00%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
43	2.23%	Assault
0	0.00%	Reckless Endangerment
0	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	0.00%	Arson
1	0.05%	Aggravated Burglary
57	2.96%	Theft of Property
28	1.45%	Vandalism
0	0.00%	Forgery
0	0.00%	Worthless Checks



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7	0.36%	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
10	0.52%	Burglary
2	0.10%	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
0	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
0	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
9	0.47%	Other Drug Offenses
27	1.40%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
1	0.05%	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
3	0.16%	Evading Arrest
0	0.00%	Escape
0	0.00%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
30	1.56%	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
5	0.26%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
2	0.10%	Harassment
0	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
1	0.05%	Criminal Impersonation
13	0.67%	Disorderly Conduct
0	0.00%	Criminal Trespass
7	0.36%	Public Intoxication
0	0.00%	Gambling
69	3.58%	Traffic
0	0.00%	Local Ordinances
3	0.16%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
307	15.93%	Contempt of Court
121	6.28%	Violation of Probation
0	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
106	5.50%	Unruly Behavior



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46	2.39%	Truancy
28	1.45%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
13	0.67%	Possession of Tobacco Products
17	0.88%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
290	15.05%	Dependency / Neglect
32	1.66%	Termination of Parental Rights
8	0.42%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
28	1.45%	Judicial Review
0	0.00%	Administrative Review
105	5.45%	Foster Care Review
133	6.90%	Custody
18	0.93%	Visitation
47	2.44%	Paternity / Legitimation
186	9.65%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
95	4.93%	Other
1,927	100.00%	Total Referrals



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Referral Sources: 1

356	18.47%	Law Enforcement
255	13.23%	Parents
88	4.57%	Relatives
1	0.05%	Self
46	2.39%	School
0	0.00%	CSA
499	25.90%	DCS
21	1.09%	Other State Department
378	19.62%	District Attorney's Office
219	11.36%	Court Staff
1	0.05%	Social Agency
4	0.21%	Other Court
23	1.19%	Victim
1	0.05%	Child & Parent
0	0.00%	Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
35	1.82%	Other
1,927	100.00%	Total Referral Sources

Age of Child at Referral: 2

298	47.45%	Ages 10 and Under
44	7.01%	Ages 11 through 12
65	10.35%	Ages 13 through 14
129	20.54%	Ages 15 through 16
80	12.74%	Ages 17 through 18
12	1.91%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown
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Sex of Child: 1

339	53.98%	Male
289	46.02%	Female
0	0.00%	Unknown
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Race of Child: 1

558	88.85%	White
44	7.01%	African American
0	0.00%	Native American
0	0.00%	Asian
22	3.50%	Mixed
4	0.64%	Unknown
628	100.00%	Total Child Count

Hispanic Origin: 1

6	0.96%	Yes
618	98.41%	No
4	0.64%	Unknown
628	100.00%	Total Child Count

School Enrollment of Children: 1

415	66.08%	Yes
211	33.60%	No
2	0.32%	Unknown
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Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1

63	10.03%	With Both Biological Parents
18	2.87%	With Father and Stepmother
52	8.28%	With Mother and Stepfather
268	42.68%	With Mother
47	7.48%	With Father
86	13.69%	With Relatives
4	0.64%	With Adoptive Parents
66	10.51%	With Foster Family
8	1.27%	In a Group Home
1	0.16%	In a Residential Center
0	0.00%	In an Institution
6	0.96%	Independent
0	0.00%	Unknown
9	1.43%	Other
628	100.00%	Total Child Count

Type of Detention: 2

0	0.00%	Non-Secure Placement
288	23.23%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - No Separation
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
952	76.77%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1

232	18.71%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
30	2.42%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail
3	0.24%	Shelter / Group Home
20	1.61%	Foster Family Home
3	0.24%	Psychiatric Hospital
3	0.24%	Unknown
949	76.53%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
1,240	100.00%	Total Placement Count

Intake Actions: 2

1,557	80.80%	Petition Filed
170	8.82%	Motion Filed
169	8.77%	Citation Processed
0	0.00%	Notification of Paternity Processed
28	1.45%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
1	0.05%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	0.00%	Unknown
2	0.10%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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Last Grade Completed by Child: 1

186	29.62%	Too Young for School
6	0.96%	Preschool
34	5.41%	Kindergarten
21	3.34%	1st Grade
15	2.39%	2nd Grade
18	2.87%	3rd Grade
19	3.03%	4th Grade
21	3.34%	5th Grade
19	3.03%	6th Grade
27	4.30%	7th Grade
50	7.96%	8th Grade
62	9.87%	9th Grade
64	10.19%	10th Grade
42	6.69%	11th Grade
0	0.00%	12th Grade
0	0.00%	Non-Graded Special Ed
15	2.39%	GED
22	3.50%	Graduated
0	0.00%	Never Attended School
3	0.48%	Unknown
4	0.64%	Other
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Enrolled in Special Education: 1

23	3.66%	Yes
601	95.70%	No
4	0.64%	Unknown
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Action Executed By: 1

939	48.73%	Judge
945	49.04%	Referee
38	1.97%	YSO
5	0.26%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
1,927	100.00%	Total Action Count

Formal / Informal Actions: 1

385	19.98%	Dismissed
8	0.42%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
120	6.23%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
31	1.61%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
40	2.08%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
39	2.02%	Informal Adjustment
53	2.75%	Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
1	0.05%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
1,159	60.15%	Special Proceeding
3	0.16%	Review Concluded
85	4.41%	Case Held Open
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Case Outcomes:

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371	11.47%	Case Dismissed
9	0.28%	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
0	0.00%	Warned / Counseled
407	12.59%	Held Open For Review
43	1.33%	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
0	0.00%	Probation to Parents
59	1.82%	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
13	0.40%	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
39	1.21%	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
1	0.03%	Referred to Alternative School
0	0.00%	Referred to Private Child Agency
13	0.40%	Referred to Defensive Driving School
17	0.53%	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
73	2.26%	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
42	1.30%	Driver's License Held Informally
0	0.00%	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
4	0.12%	Private Mental Health Placement
0	0.00%	Private MR Placement
0	0.00%	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
0	0.00%	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
15	0.46%	Fine
21	0.65%	Public Service
23	0.71%	Restitution
0	0.00%	Runaway Returned
111	3.43%	No Contact Order
92	2.84%	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
23	0.71%	House Arrest
28	0.87%	Court Defined Curfew
13	0.40%	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
3	0.09%	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
58	1.79%	Released from Probation
0	0.00%	Transferred to Adult Court
8	0.25%	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Determinate



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16	0.49%	DCS Commitment - Custody
1	0.03%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	0.00%	DCS Intensive Probation
8	0.25%	Other Intensive Probation
73	2.26%	DCS Probation
3	0.09%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
13	0.40%	Supervision by DCS
9	0.28%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
7	0.22%	Parental Rights Terminated
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	0.00%	Order of Reference to DCS
344	10.64%	Court Costs
4	0.12%	Foster Care Terminated
82	2.54%	Foster Care Continued
303	9.37%	Custody Changed
123	3.80%	Custody Unchanged
83	2.57%	Visitation Changed
8	0.25%	Visitation Unchanged
7	0.22%	Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity
20	0.62%	Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated
0	0.00%	Paternity Not Determined / Child Not Legitimated
70	2.16%	Child Support Granted
78	2.41%	Child Support Amended
0	0.00%	Child Support Denied
0	0.00%	Child Support Terminated
6	0.19%	Request for Medical Treatment Granted
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Denied
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Granted
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Denied
490	15.15%	Other
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3,234	100.00%	Total Outcome Count
